

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Karl Lubitz et al.
Serial No.:	10/597,104
Filing Date:	July 11, 2006
Group Art Unit:	2856
Confirmation No.:	6058
Examiner:	Noland, Thomas
Title:	<b>Method for Establishing a Correlation Between a First State of a Piezoelectric Component and A Second State of the Component and Use of Said Correlation</b>

**MAIL STOP –AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed December 26, 2008, Applicants respectfully submit the following remarks set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

**Amendments to Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.